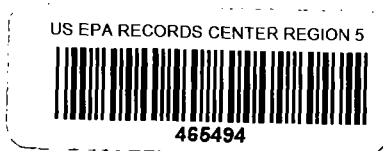


Jan 23, 2003



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Attn: Mr. Thomas Nash



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20200 Sheldon Road
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Ohio 44142-1380 USA
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Subject: Chemical Recovery Systems de minimis settlement

Mr. Nash,

In response to your letter of December 20, 2002, I have enclosed the form "CERCLA 122(g)(4) De Minimis Contribution Administrative Order on Consent". Our Vice President has signed this form, and we agree to pay \$2300.00 to settle the claims against us.

We submit this form with the understanding of settling claims against Foseco Incorporated (we are presently called Foseco Metallurgical Incorporated). We understand that this settlement is for our company, including both the Cleveland plant and the Conneaut plant. We are only listed on the "dirty inventory" once, with no mention of address. The documents are clear that we are reaching a settlement for the company, both sites.

If you have any questions, please call me at (440) 816-7023.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Frank Simcic".

Frank Simcic

Cc: Mr. Fred Corpuz, Foseco Metallurgical Inc, Cleveland plant
Mr. Jeremy Wilkinson, Foseco Metallurgical Inc, Conneaut Plant

Attachments: CERCLA form, Appendix A List of Respondents, Appendix B Site Location of CRS

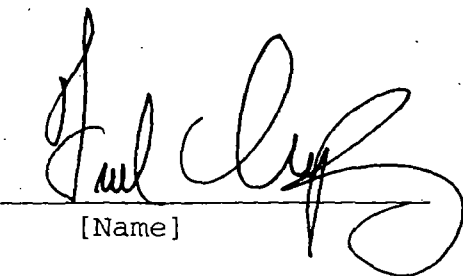
THE UNDERSIGNED RESPONDENT enters into this Consent Order in the matter of **Docket Number:** _____, relating to the **Chemical Recovery Systems Site in Elyria, Ohio.**

FOR RESPONDENT: Foseco Metallurgical Inc.
[Name]

20200 Sheldon Road
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1100 Maple Ave.
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By:


[Name]

1-6-2003

[Date]